

# *Executive Proclamation*

## *State of South Dakota*

### *Office of the Governor*

*Whereas*, A long-term care administrator is the chief executive of a nursing home and their basic function is to manage the inputs of the organization, such as staff, material, technology, information, state and federal regulations, and capital in order to achieve the desired outputs established for the nursing facility; and,

*Whereas*, The burden of designing, changing, and operating an effective organizational structure to meet the nursing home's objectives falls mainly on the administrator's shoulders; and,

*Whereas*, A nursing facility's image in the community is what the administrator and staff make it, and that image is influenced directly by the amount of effort put into image enhancement; and,

*Whereas*, Many long-term care administrators are involved in the family interaction of their residents at the nursing facility, and many play an intricate part in their community;

*Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard*, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 19 - 21, 2012, as

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in South Dakota, and I call upon members of the community to celebrate and support their long-term care administrators.



*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Ninth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twelve.

*Dennis Daugaard*  
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

*Jason M. Gant*  
Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State